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NO COAL STRIKE NOW

Miners and Operators Finally Reach an Agreement.

Heavy Loss From the Breaking of a Levee Near New Orleans.

MUCH NEWS BY WIRE

AGREEMENT REACHED.
Louisville, March 31—The miners and operators have reached an agreement which will mean practically a 10 per cent increase, and there will be no strike in Western Kentucky. The details of the agreement are not given out.

ANOTHER LEVEE BREAKS.
New Orleans, March 31—A big levee at Anglin, on the east side of the river, broke this morning, flooding a vast section including the state convict camp levee, owned by the state. The loss is enormous.

ALL FOR NOTHING.
Buffalo, N. Y., March 31—Judge Murphy in his findings, declared that the identity of the murderer of Burdick had not been proved.

SUED FOR DIVORCE.
Lexington, March 31—A. F. Wheeler, a prominent merchant of Lexington, has been sued for divorce.

SPECULATOR SUICIDES.
New York, March 31—Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, a widow, committed suicide by shooting herself in the head. Despondency over loss of \$90,000 in the stock market is the cause.

KILLED HIS CHILD.
Denver, Col., March 31—H. Patterson, a divorced ranchman, visited his former wife, at Bayfield, Col., and while his six year old daughter was in his lap, shot and killed the child, and committed suicide.

RATIFICATIONS EXCHANGED.
Washington, March 31—Ratifications of the Cuban reciprocity treaty were exchanged by Secretary Hay and Minister Quesada today.

TOOK POISON.
Evansville, Ind., March 31—Carl Plumer, of Crab Orchard, Ky., committed suicide at Evansville, by taking poison.

INJURED IN EXPLOSION.
Pittsburg, March 31—Fourteen men were seriously burned and three fatally injured as a result of an explosion at the blast furnace in the Edgar Thompson works at Braddock, Pa.

FIRE AT HENDERSON.
Henderson, March 31—The saloon and restaurant of W. R. Evans was robbed by burglars and set on fire and badly damaged.

DEATH IN LOGAN COUNTY.
Louisville, March 31—R. W. Bowles, one of Logan county's wealthiest citizens, is dead.

CUT SWEETHEART'S THROAT.
Cincinnati, March 31—As the result of a Sunday drunk, Forest McCord, a barber of Bournville, O., cut the throat of Miss Charity Storts, his sweetheart, from ear to ear and killed himself in a similar manner.

DEATH AT DANVILLE.
Danville, Ky., March 31—Sydney Venable Rowland, one of the most prominent citizens of Danville, is dead.

OILMAKERS STRIKE.
Denver, Col., March 31—All the oil-gar factories in Denver have been closed by a sympathetic strike.

A DISTILLERY BURNS.
Louisville, Ky., March 31—The J. G. Mattingly distillery at Fortieth and High streets, this city, was destroyed by fire late this afternoon, causing a loss of \$50,000. The distillery was one of the largest in the city, and was owned by the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse company. For a time the large warehouses in the vicinity of the distillery seemed in danger, but they were finally saved with practically no damage. The loss is covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

TO INSTALL BIG FAN

Illinois Central Preparing for Fuel Saver.

The Shops at Memphis Turned Over to Illinois Central Officers.

A large fan will be put up in the I. C. woodworking shops to carry off the shavings from the many machines there and the shops will then present a much cleaner appearance.

The fan will be a large one and pipes from all machines will lead into the engine room and the shavings drawn into this place, where they will be used as fuel. All shavings from the many machines are being burned in the furnace and at present have to be carted away. This unnecessary labor will be done away with when the fan is working, and it will also add to the convenience of the laborers.

The Illinois Central shops at Memphis have been finished and turned over to the road. The machines are all running and the company now has invested in Memphis over \$1,000,000, all put there in eight months.

PROMINENT MAN KILLED.
Paris, Ky., March 31—J. B. Clay, one of the largest land owners of this county, was accidentally shot and killed by his wife while they were at target practice at their home near here. The shooting was done with a shotgun. The charge severed the jugular vein and then entered the left lung.

He was a son of Hon. Cassius M. Clay, Jr., president of the late constitutional convention.

BUYS VALUABLE PROPERTY.
St. Louis, March 31—The Wabash railroad has paid \$950,000 for an entire block in St. Louis on which it will build a new freight depot.

THE MARKETS.			
WHEAT	OPEN	HIGH	CLOSE
May	74 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2
July	74 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2
CORN			
May	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
July	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2
OATS			
May	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2
July	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2
PORE			
May	18 1/2	19 1/2	18 1/2
July	17 3/4	18 3/4	17 3/4
LARD			
May	10 10	10 02	
July			
EGGS			
May	9 82	9 80	
July			
STOCKS.			
I. C.	124 1/2	127 1/2	124 1/2
L. & N.	117	118 1/2	118 1/2
Mc P.	116 1/2	118	117 1/2
U. S.	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2
U. S. P.	55	55 1/2	55 1/2

DAILY MARKET LETTER.

Wall Street, New York, March 31—As usual stocks opened strong and continued so during the entire session, the entire list closing near the highest points. High money rates had no effect on the markets. Call money opened at 6 per cent, and ranged between five and six during the greater part of the forenoon; after that it suddenly took a spurt to 12 per cent. This had no effect whatever on the only solution we see to this is that the operators who have been fighting Keene realize that he is heavily short on this market and should the Kentucky courts refuse to grant his injunction tomorrow they could then by forcing the market and call money to a higher level force him to throw over his lines. J. P. Morgan gives out a bullish interview and says alarm about undigested new issues needless. Banks have lost to sub-treasury, since Friday, \$1,720,000. We believe the advance in stocks today due largely to the fight between the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific people. How, when or where it will end no one knows. The bank reserves are about equal to those of a year ago, but stocks are many points lower than then. Keene is certainly not in an enviable position and there are rumors of seeking his scalp. There is also some fear that money may command higher rates for months to come and in that event stocks would have to come near to a 6 per cent basis. We believe profits should be taken on all rallies.

ARENZ & GILBERT.

GEN. JACKSON DEAD

Noted Confederate Soldier Dies at Belle Meade.

Had Served in Both the Indian and the Civil Wars.

CHEAPER PAPER IS PROMISED

DEATH OF VETERAN.

Nashville, Tenn., March 31—General William H. Jackson, a noted Confederate cavalry leader during the civil war, when he bore the sobriquet of "Red" Jackson, died at his home, Belle Meade, near here, in his 68th year. At the close of the Civil war General Jackson was in command of Forrest's old division, with the Texas brigade added. Since the war he has devoted himself to agriculture and the breeding of thoroughbred running horses. Two children, William H. Jackson Jr., and Mrs. Selene Elliston, survive him. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

General Jackson was born at Paris, Tenn., in 1835, and acquired a preparatory education in the schools at Jackson. He entered West Point as a cadet in 1852 and graduated in 1856. In the following year General Jackson went to New Mexico as an officer in a regiment of mounted rifles and actively participated in the principal Indian fights with such adventurous scouts as Kit Carson. He resigned his commission in the United States army upon the outbreak of the civil war, and offered his sword to his native state and was appointed a captain of artillery by Governor Harris.

General Jackson married the daughter of General W. G. Harding in 1868, and became associated with his father-in-law in the conduct of Belle Meade stock farm.

CHEAPER PAPER PROMISED

Memphis, Tenn., March 31—Those who use paper extensively like the daily newspapers and the publishing houses have cause to rejoice over the success that has attended the making of paper from pine shavings at Orange, Tex., in the vast piney woods of the Lone Star State. Paper must be cheaper. The supply of pine is practically inexhaustible and while the new process is in its infancy and must be ultimately benefited by improvements, the price of a ton of material out of which pine paper is made is only \$3 per ton, while by the old wood pulp method it is \$12.50 per ton. The trust may gather in the first of these enterprises but the paper consumers can make their own paper by organizing. There is pine everywhere and access to it can be had.

SPEAK AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, March 31—Hendrick and Breckinridge speak here Wednesday night.

WORK ON THE BRIDGE

Men Working Day and Night on Caldwell Street.

Cars Cannot Run Over It for Several Days—Paducahan Goes to Ohio.

NEWS IN BUSINESS CIRCLES

Work on the Caldwell street bridge is not progressing rapidly, but after the engine for the pile driver is set the work will proceed with more rapidity. As yet it cannot be told when the work will be completed sufficiently for cars and backs to pass over the bridge.

The entire bridge will be torn away and rebuilt with strong piling. The N. C. & St. L. pile driver has been secured by the city to be used in driving the piling and the engine was brought to the bridge this morning and will be in working order by night. Temporary lights have been put up at the bridge so the workmen can labor at night, and some little work was done last night. Street Inspector James Eaker has a large force of experienced bridge men at the place and will put up a bridge that will last.

Messrs. Z. C. Graham, Charles Graham and R. G. Caldwell of Paducah and Keil of Princeton left today for Keil, Ballard county, the new town on the Illinois Central, to hold a meeting of the stockholders. The town has been laid off and one object of today's meeting is to decide on what to build first, and it will probably be the hotel.

Mr. Thomas A. Gould leaves this evening for Xenia, O., where he has accepted a position as general agent for a Northern and Western gas company located at Xenia. Mr. Gould has been in the city only two years, but by his sterling worth and genial manner has made many friends, who wish him success in his new home.

Dr. H. P. Sights has removed his office temporarily to the small cottage between the Palmer and the Kentucky theater and will remain there until the new Masonic building has been completed.

Mr. John Davis has resigned his position at Hank Bros. to go into partnership with Mr. B. J. Billings, his brother-in-law, who owns a job printing office.

HIS SWEETHEART GAME.

Cincinnati, March 31—William Argo shot and badly wounded Miss Ellen Barker at Ironton, O. She returned the fire, wounding him in the leg. They were formerly sweethearts.

NEW UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT.

Denver, March 31—Rev. Henry A. Buchtel, chancellor of the University of Denver, has been decided on as the new president of DePaul university.

IS KEEPING A LIST

Judge Sanders Getting Names of "Wash Ladies"

He Says They All Claim to "Take in Washing."

NEWS IN BUSINESS CIRCLES

Judge Sanders has decided that he will break up the "washer woman" gag and punish some of the women who invariably give this as their means of a livelihood when applying for warrants.

"Nearly every unmarried negro woman who comes to my office to procure a warrant," Judge Sanders stated this morning, "is a 'washer woman,' and earns her living in this manner to bear her tell it. I have seen so much of it that I have decided to investigate every case and have secured a list on which I enter the names of all persons desiring to secure warrants and who have no visible means of support other than taking in washing." Nearly every day, some negro comes to my office to procure a warrant against some of her sex who has done her an injury, and in nearly every case the assault is 'absolutely unprovoked.' I have investigated several of these cases and found that the women had not done any washing in months and were living off men of their acquaintance over whom the trouble originated. These women have fuses about their men 'friends' and generally ending in a fight followed by a court airing, and nine cases out of ten turn out this way. I always ask the woman swearing out the warrant her vocation, and when she says 'washing,' I take down her name and there will be a general shaking up hereafter as I do not intend to stand it any longer."

The list is large and growing every day, and it will doubtless be a great surprise to find out how many washer women there are in the city.

MYSTERIOUS CASE

COLORED RAILROAD MAN CANNOT TELL OF ACCIDENT.

A colored man was brought to the railroad hospital this morning from St. Charles on the early morning train from the east and is in an unconscious condition and nothing can be learned from him. He is an employee of the I. C., it is thought, as he was ordered to the hospital, but no details of the accident were sent with the order. The man's head is cut and he has been in an unconscious condition all the day. No papers about his person tell his name or residence.

NEW TICKET AGENT.

INDIANA MAN ARRIVES TO TAKE THE DAY JOB.

Mr. J. M. Daubensteck of Indiana is here today to be checked in as day ticket agent and operator at the Illinois Central depot, succeeding Mr. Shepherd, who resigned several weeks ago and was transferred to Central City.

Since Mr. Shepherd left, the night agent, Mr. Manion, has been filling both positions and it was not until today that he got relief.

DEATH AT HOT SPRINGS

MR. O. B. LANE SUCCUMBS TO LONG ILLNESS.

News of the death of Mr. O. B. Lane at Hot Springs, Ark., was received here today. The deceased was a father of Mr. Walter Lane, a well known stone cutter who resided here for several years. Mr. Lane, Jr., went to Hot Springs several months ago to be with his father, who has been suffering from dropsy for some time.

MARRIED AT METROPOLIS.

MARSHALL COUNTY COUPLE ELOPED THERE TODAY.

Metropolis, Ill., March 31—Charles E. Egner and Miss Sarah E. Harper of Altoona, Marshall county, eloped today and were married here by Justice Thomas Liggett.

WHERE IS WARDEN?

Town Marshal of Bardwell Mysteriously Disappears.

There Are Suspicions of Foul Play—Was After Bank Robbers.

NO TRACE OF HIM FOUND

There is much excitement in Bardwell, Carlisle county, 32 miles from Paducah, over the mysterious disappearance of Town Marshal Thomas Warden, who vanished last Friday and has not been seen or heard of since. A telephone message this afternoon from Bardwell stated that no trace of him has yet been discovered, and his family and friends are very much alarmed, and fear foul play.

Ever since the blowing of the vault in the Deposit bank there ten days ago the marshal has worked hard to trace the thieves and recover the money. He was in Memphis Sunday following the robbery, and left promising that he would return the following Wednesday, but he never did.

On Friday Warden left his home saying that he was going to Memphis, but nothing has been heard of him since that time either by his family or the police of Memphis.

The bank at Bardwell was robbed about ten days ago. On the following morning Warden wired the police department at Memphis that the robbers had boarded the train for Memphis. Detectives arrested two suspicious characters with police records within an hour after the train arrived. This fact was wired to Marshal Warden, and he went to Memphis on the first train.

On Sunday morning he saw the prisoners, who gave the names of Tom Murray and Fred Moore, at the police station, and he recognized them as the men who had been loafing about Bardwell for several days previous to the time of the robbery. After a consultation with Chief Mason Warden left saying that he would return later with employees of the bank to identify the prisoners.

Warden reached home on Monday and remained there until last Friday. He stated that he was going to Fulton and then to Memphis. His family heard nothing more about him. He was last seen on the streets of Bardwell late Friday evening. Several theories have been advanced to account for his continued absence. Some of his friends believe that the bank robbers or their confederates have killed him and made away with the body. Nothing in the way of evidence, however, has been received to credit this theory. Warden did not state to his associates why he was going away, but it was believed to be in connection with the search for the train robbers.

Mr. Warden is 32 years old, five feet eight inches tall, weighs about 145 pounds, is smooth shaven, has light brown hair, and wore a blue uniform with brass buttons and a black slouch hat when he left home.

\$1000 DAMAGES.

THIS IS ASKED BY H. W. ROTTGERING.

H. W. Rottgering has filed a suit in circuit court here against the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans railroad and Attorneys Charles K. Wheeler and D. H. Hughes, asking for \$1,000 damages on bond.

Rottgering is a land owner on the Cairo road and had property condemned by the railroad to use as a right of way to reach Cairo with its branch road. An injunction was taken out to prevent the property owners from interfering and Judge White dissolved the injunction, and Rottgering asks for \$1,000 in damages for attorneys' fees and other cost in litigation. The attorneys are made defendants because of the fact that they were sureties on the bond for the railroad company when the injunction was taken out.

Miss Oda Himes has returned to her home in Hampton, Ky., after a visit to the Misses Arnold.

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